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Robert J. Touhey, P.E. Assistant Vice President Environmental Affairs Standard Chlorine of Delaware, Inc. Governor Lea Road P.O. Box 319 Delaware City, Delaware 19706

Subject: Fish Tissue Split Sampling Protocol

Dear Mr. Touhey:

As per a request from Roy F. Weston, Inc., I am writing this letter to clarify the fish tissue split sampling protocol to be followed during the sampling activities scheduled for March 5, 1990. Due to the obvious logistical problems with accurately "splitting" fish tissue samples, only split samples of the filets will be collected by Versar, the oversight contractor. Because of the variation in fat content in various areas of the filets, it has been decided that dividing individual filets in two will not provide for the best analytical results. Instead, one filet will be taken by Weston and the other filet from the same fish will be taken by Versar. A second fish will then be taken by Weston only, for the whole body analysis.

I hope this will serve to prevent any further confusion on this issue.

Sincerely,

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